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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Room TW-A325
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service; Promoting Deployment and
Subscribership in Unserved and Underserved Areas, Including Tribal and Insular Areas,
CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Salas:

On September 5, 2000, Qwest Corporation petitioned for clarification or, in the alternative, for partial reconsideration of the tribal Lifeline and Link Up portions of the Commission's Twelfth Report and Order in the above-captioned proceeding.¹ Qwest Corporation hereby respectfully withdraws its Petition for Clarification or, in the Alternative, for Reconsideration.

If you have any questions or concerns about this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Craig J. Brown

cc: Genaro Fullano (via email and hard copy)

¹ See Petition for Clarification or, in the Alternative, for Reconsideration (filed Sept. 5, 2000).